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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Motoki KATO, et al.

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FOR:

TRANSPORT STREAM RECORDING APPARATUS AND METHOD, TRANSPORT STREAM REPRODUCING APPARATUS, AND METHOD, AND PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed. ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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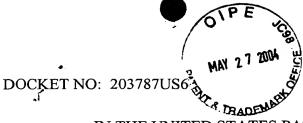
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.